## FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION CABINET Department of Revenue (Amendment)

## 103 KAR 41:120. Retention of records.

RELATES TO: KRS 138.135(4),138.195 STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 131.130(1)

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 131.130(1) authorizes the Department of Revenue to promulgate administrative regulations for the administration and enforcement of all tax laws of this state. This administrative regulation prescribes rules for the retention of records required to be maintained by cigarette dealers licensed under KRS 138.195 and all other persons required to maintain records under the provisions of KRS 138.135(4) and 138.195.

Section 1. (1) Every licensee or other person required by KRS 138.135(4) and 138.195 to preserve books, records, invoices, and documents shall keep copies of those books, records, invoices, and documents on the immediate premises of each place of business for a period of four (4) years.

- (2)[This requirement shall be effective for books, records, invoices, and documents created, made, or received on or after:
- (a) July 1, 2013, for licensed distributors, retail distributors, and retailers of tobacco products, in accordance with KRS 138.135; and
- (b) August 1, 2013, for manufacturers and importers of cigarettes, in accordance with KRS 138.195.
- (3)] These books, records, invoices, and documents shall be available upon demand during this period of time for inspection by agents of the Department of Revenue.

## DANIEL P. BORK, Commissioner

APPROVED BY AGENCY: October 6, 2017 FILED WITH LRC: October 12, 2017 at 4 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING AND PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: A public hearing on this administrative regulation shall be held on November 28, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. in Room 11A, State Office Building, Frankfort Kentucky 40601. Individuals interested in being heard at this hearing shall notify this agency in writing by five (5) workdays prior to the hearing, of their intent to attend. If no notification of intent to attend the hearing is received by that date, the hearing may be cancelled. This hearing is open to the public. Any person who wishes to be heard will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposed administrative regulation. A transcript of the public hearing will not be made unless a written request for a transcript is made. If you do not wish to be heard at the public hearing, you may submit written comments on the proposed administrative regulation. Written comments shall be accepted through November 30, 2017. Send written notification of intent to be heard at the public hearing or written comments on the proposed administrative regulation to the contact person.

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REGULATORY IMPACT ANALYSIS AND TIERING STATEMENT

Contact Person: Lisa Swiger

- (1) Provide a brief summary of:
- (a) What this administrative regulation does: This administrative regulation updates regulatory language to conform to recent statutory language revisions.
- (b) The necessity of this administrative regulation: The amendment is necessary to update outdated regulatory language and information currently contained in the regulation.
- (c) How this administrative regulation conforms to the content of the authorizing statutes: The proposed amendment updates regulatory language to conform with KRS 131.130 and KRS 131.131.
- (d) How this administrative regulation currently assists or will assist in the effective administration of the statutes: The proposed amendment updates regulatory language to address outdated information currently contained in the regulation.
- (2) If this is an amendment to an existing administrative regulation, provide a brief summary of:
- (a) How the amendment will change this existing administrative regulation: The current version of 103 KAR 41:120 contains retention dates that are now expired. This amendment only removes those retention dates which are no longer applicable.
- (b) The necessity of the amendment to this administrative regulation: The amendment is necessary to update outdated regulatory language and information currently contained in the regulation.
- (c) How the amendment conforms to the content of the authorizing statutes: The proposed amendment updates regulatory language to conform with KRS 131.130 and KRS 131.131 by removing erroneous information.
- (d) How the amendment will assist in the effective administration of the statutes: The proposed amendment updates regulatory language to address outdated information currently contained in the regulation.
- (3) List the type and number of individuals, businesses, organizations, or state and local governments affected by this administrative regulation: All individuals, businesses, organizations, or state and local governments that access the amended regulation.
- (4) Provide an analysis of how the entities identified in question (3) will be impacted by either the implementation of this administrative regulation, if new, or by the change, if it is an amendment, including:
- (a) List the actions that each of the regulated entities identified in question (3) will have to take to comply with this administrative regulation or amendment: No actions are necessary to comply with the amendment.
- (b) In complying with this administrative regulation or amendment, how much will it cost each of the entities identified in question (3): There is no cost to comply with the amended regulation.
- (c) As a result of compliance, what benefits will accrue to the entities identified in question (3): Anyone who accesses the amended regulation will benefit from the updated information contained therein.
- (5) Provide an estimate of how much it will cost the administrative body to implement this administrative regulation:
  - (a) Initially: There is no cost to the department to implement the proposed amendment.
  - (b) On a continuing basis: There is no cost on an ongoing basis.
- (6) What is the source of the funding to be used for the implementation and enforcement of this administrative regulation: There is no additional cost to implement and enforce the proposed amendment.
  - (7) Provide an assessment of whether an increase in fees or funding will be necessary to

implement this administrative regulation, if new, or by the change if it is an amendment: There is no additional cost to implement and enforce the proposed amendment.

- (8) State whether or not this administrative regulation established any fees or directly or indirectly increased any fees: No fees are directly or indirectly established or increased by the proposed amendment.
- (9) TIERING: Is tiering applied? No. Tiering is not applied to this regulation as all parties affected by this regulation are treated exactly the same.

## FISCAL NOTE ON STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- 1. What units, parts or divisions of state or local government (including cities, counties, fire departments, or school districts) will be impacted by this administrative regulation? The Finance and Administration Cabinet, Department of Revenue.
- 2. Identify each state or federal statute or federal regulation that requires or authorizes the action taken by the administrative regulation. KRS 131.130.
- 3. Estimate the effect of this administrative regulation on the expenditures and revenues of a state or local government agency (including cities, counties, fire departments, or school districts) for the first full year the administrative regulation is to be in effect. There will be no effect on the revenues and expenditures of any agency with this amendment.
- (a) How much revenue will this administrative regulation generate for the state or local government (including cities, counties, fire departments, or school districts) for the first year? None. This amendment is part of a department regulatory cleanup effort to remove outdated or erroneous information still contained in regulation.
- (b) How much revenue will this administrative regulation generate for the state or local government (including cities, counties, fire departments, or school districts) for subsequent years? None.
- (c) How much will it cost to administer this program for the first year? No additional costs will be incurred in the first year of this regulation being in effect.
- (d) How much will it cost to administer this program for subsequent years? No additional costs will be incurred in subsequent years.

Note: If specific dollar estimates cannot be determined, provide a brief narrative to explain the fiscal impact of the administrative regulation.

Revenues (+/-):

Expenditures (+/-):

Other Explanation: